



KING COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

SEATTLE CRIMINAL DEPARTMENT PROCEDURES AND INFORMATION (JUNE 2021)

How do I know if a case is being heard on a particular date and time?

- If you are a defendant, contact your attorney. If you are represented by a Department of Public Defense attorney and do not know how to contact your attorney, please email: dpd@kingcounty.gov or phone 206-296-7662 or Toll Free: 1-844-935-3534. For more information, please visit The Department of Public Defense website at <https://www.kingcounty.gov/depts/public-defense.aspx>.
- Criminal Department Calendars for scheduled hearings are posted on King County Superior Court's Criminal Department web page at <https://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/superior-court/criminal/criminal-calendars.aspx>.

Public Health and Safety Procedures:

- If you are ill or have symptoms of illness, **do not** enter the courthouse or courtrooms.
- Masks or other facial coverings of the nose and mouth **must** be worn at all times.
- Observe proper social distancing in all areas of the courthouse, including courtrooms.
- Observe posted signs providing public health instructions.
- Follow all public health instructions of court staff.

Criminal calendars (Seattle):

- In and out of custody arraignments: Mon - Thurs 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. in courtroom E-955.
- Bond hearings: Mon – Thurs 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. in courtroom E-955.
- In and out of custody case setting / omnibus hearings: Mon – Thurs 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. in courtroom E-955.
- In and out of custody omnibus hearings: Friday 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in courtroom E-955.
- Criminal motions: Mon – Thurs 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. in courtroom W-921
- Plea hearing calendars are posted on King County Superior Court's Criminal Department web page at <https://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/superior-court/criminal/criminal-calendars.aspx>.
- Sentencing calendars are posted on King County Superior Court's Criminal Department web page at <https://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/superior-court/criminal/criminal-calendars.aspx>.